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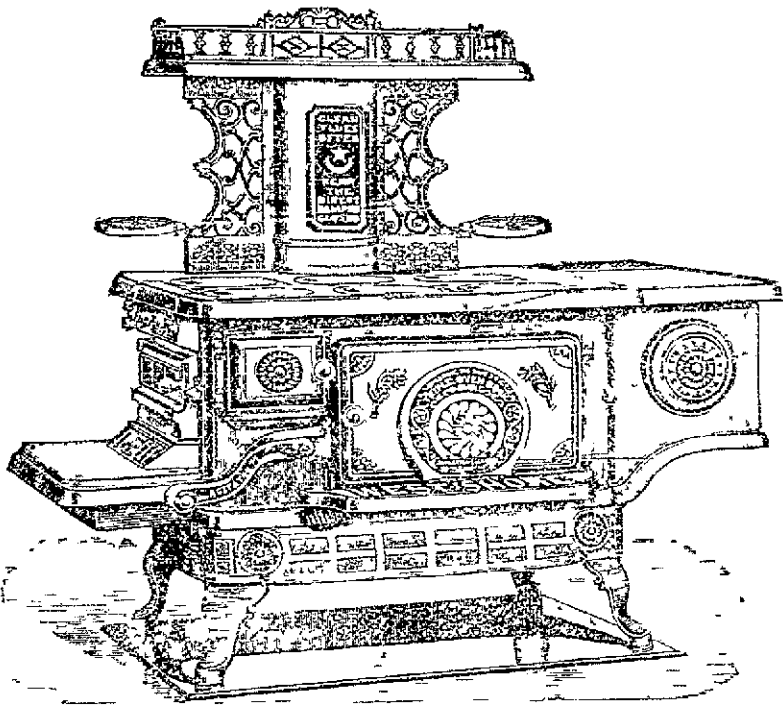
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WOMEN AT ATLANTA.

THE SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION WILL CONVEN THERE THIS YEAR

Though the Movement Seeks to Have Gained a Center in Quarters, No State Has Yet Adopted the Suffrage Flag as the Convention.

The convention of the National Woman's Suffrage Association, which will be held at Atlanta from Jan. 1 to Jan. 5, will be not only a great success, but also a great triumph. The delegates will be met in the morning together at the hotel, and will have some business to transact. It is expected that the convention will be a very successful one, and that it will result in the adoption of the suffrage flag as the official emblem of the association.



tion of New York declared against even submitting it to the people. What is worse, it is read in some quarters that the action in New York was more than merely negative. It was of such a nature as to perhaps delay all possibility of the suffragists winning in the Empire State for yet another term of years.

On the other hand, the record of the year just past is not altogether disheartening. The right to vote was generally exercised for the first time at the last election by the women of Colorado, and, according to the reports, with as much intelligence at least as that displayed by the men. In Illinois also the women voted for the first time, though only for one state officer, and as intelligently as did their sisters of full suffrage privileges in Wyoming and Colorado, and wherever they are entitled to a voice in school matters women have turned out in force during the past year at the polls. Miss Anthony, Mrs. Stanton, Mrs. Blake and the remainder of the old guard, who will meet at Atlanta this year, will therefore be able to congratulate one another because some forward steps have been taken.

It is doubtful if even Mrs. Anthony dreamed, when, as a young girl, she stood up, more than 40 years ago, on the floor of the New York State Teachers' association convention at Rochester and demanded for the women of that gathering the right to take part in its deliberations, that she would live to see women in possession of equal citizenship anywhere. But there is no doubt that when Wyoming conferred the suffrage on women she looked for a rapid spread of the same liberal policy throughout the United States. The hopelessness of the case apparent in her youth had then changed to rose-colored prospects of success, though subsequent events have not fully justified her anticipations, and the great majority of the states are as they were two-score years ago—the men only are citizens and women are not yet admitted to voting privileges.

It has been Mrs. Anthony's chief hope, during the last decade and a half, that she might live to witness the conferring of the suffrage upon the women of her own state, New York. In 1880 it seemed to her and her coworkers that the hour of their victory was nigh, for they had the promise of a majority of the votes in the assembly for the suffrage measure then up. But the promises were not fulfilled and after 1880 it was not until 1891 that Miss Anthony again became hopeful. It did seem to her, however, during last spring and the early part of the following summer that there were grounds for believing the end to be in sight, as for the first time in the history of the movement that conservative element the society woman, took up the cause.

No one who reads the newspapers will forget the delightful surprise with which the veteran suffragists welcomed the



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at the fall election, and it was believed that the New York legislature, the culmination of the New York movement, would be adopted shortly after the close of the convention. Mr. C. W. Smith, however, is decidedly of the opinion that the convention will be a failure, and that the suffrage flag will not be adopted.

On the most important of the many bright and clever women to be present at the Atlanta convention is the Rev. Anna Howard Shaw, D. D., of Pittsford, N. Y. She is a woman of wide and deep culture, for when she was graduated by the Boston university some years ago she received diplomas not only from the theological department, but also from the departments of law and medicine as well. Two years ago this month she was a guest at the dinner of the Pilgrim Mothers in New York and then there replied to one of the toasts in a manner that captivated her cultivated fellow diners. She is "vice president at large of the association and a fine specimen of the best type of the younger new women."

Of course Mrs. Stanton, Mrs. Blake, Mrs. Ellen Battle Dietrich, Miss Alice Stone Blackwell, Mrs. Harriet Taylor Upton, Mrs. Rachel Fortes Avery, Mrs. Josephine K. Henry, and most of the others who have borne the brunt of the battle, in these many years will also be present, and from Kansas there should be a delegation of very respectable members, for it is understood that the women there mean to continue the fight with all vigor. Wyoming and Colorado should not be less forward, but it is possible that, having won the battle for themselves, the women of those two states may stay away.

It would be strange, however, if the convention should meet without Dr. Mary Putnam Jacob of New York, who gives as the reason for being a suffragist that she "has a logical mind." Dr. Jacob is now 50, is sometimes spoken of as more abrupt than suave in her speech and manner, and for many years has been the best known woman physi-



cian in America eminent as are some of her sisters who have devoted their lives and talents to the healing art. During the sessions of New York's constitutional convention last year she labored with great persistence before that body and made one address upon its floor that won general attention, even from her opponents, as a well reasoned argument and one in which misrepresentation and extravagant statements had no place. Although she is an American in the best sense of the term, she is not a native of this country, having been born in London. Her father, however, was George P. Putnam, the American publisher. She came to the United States early in life and when but a young girl entered the Woman's Medical college in Philadelphia. After her graduation there, she studied at the College of Pharmacy in New York, being the first woman graduated, and then went to Paris, where she managed to secure admission to the medical schools of the French capital, after much opposition, and only because she was heartily endorsed by United States Minister W. L. Gresham. Her victorious thesis, delivered upon graduation, in 1871 won her a commendation, and for it she received a silver medal while various other honors were showered upon her.

Her husband, Dr. Abraham Jacob, was a German political refugee, settled in New York, where they were married in 1872. He is now a man of great prominence in his profession, as is shown by the fact that he was chosen to head the American delegation to the recent international medical congress.

If the speeches made at the last dinner of the Pilgrim Mothers in New York to the nation of the feeling on the part of the suffragists toward Joseph C. Hoar, that gentleman will probably be humbled when it comes to Atlanta. Nearly every speaker referred to Mr. Hoar in a more or less scathing or critical manner, and Mrs. Stanton went so far as to read some denigrating rhymes about him and his action as president of the convention. Naturally among the chief features of the work to be done at the convention will be the laying out of a future program, and that is a task that every one here is anxious to undertake. It is not to be denied that the future of the movement is a matter of great importance.

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Only one in seventy-five of the murders committed in the United States is atoned for by the death of the murderer. The death penalty is so nearly a dead letter that it might as well be abolished.

It is decidedly encouraging that the commercial failures of 1894, as reported by Dun & Co.'s Commercial Agency, are less than half the failures of 1893 in magnitude of liabilities, and smaller than in eleven of the preceding thirty-eight years. The returns covered 60,000 more firms at the end of 1894 than at the end of 1893, and that year covered 50,000 more than at the end of 1892. The proportion of failures in 1,000 firms in business was 12.5 last year against 13 in 1893, 12.7 in 1894, and 13 to 15.5 in the years between 1875 to 1878 inclusive.

Brooklyn's Board of Education has done a wise thing in modifying the course of study so as to make it less hard and exacting. The imposition of lessons requiring home study is forbidden in the primary grades and the amount of home work that may be required of grammar grade pupils is very materially lessened. Recognizing the fact that a great majority of pupils leave school at the fifth grammar grade, the Board has decided to so re-arrange the curriculum as to make it purely utilitarian, all fads being eliminated and all non-essentials being cut off. This is as it should be; a thorough grounding in the essentials is of far more use to a boy or girl than a smattering and superficial knowledge of many things not likely to be of service to them in after life.

The Carlisle currency bill was practically killed, yesterday, by the refusal of the House of Representatives to agree to the resolution of the Committee on Rules fixing a time for taking a vote on the measure. The silver Democrats, refused any concessions by those in charge of the bill, voted with the Republicans, who gave as a reason for opposing the bill the concessions that it made to State banks. Senator Hill may find in the defeat of the Carlisle bill an opportunity to come to the front as the Democratic leader and the savior of the administration, for he declares that he can prepare a bill which will meet all the needs of the Treasury, will be satisfactory to the country's business and financial interests, and pass both Houses. It should be said, however, that the policy of the Republicans is to defeat all financial legislation at this session, in the hope of making party capital out of such legislation as they may enact under the Senate and House pass under their control.

Speaker Fish announced his committee, last evening, and there can be no doubt that he has made them in the interest of Platt and his machine. This is especially true of the committee on cities, which, in view of the reform legislation proposed for New York city, is of unusual importance. This committee is so absolutely under the control of Platt and his friends that, in the event of a difference between Mr. Platt and Mr. S. S. Roror and the Committee of Seventy, the committee can be depended on to throttle any measure of which Mr. Platt does not approve. The chairman of the more important committees are: Ways and Means, Amosworth, Judiciary, Gardner, General Laws, Wray, Civil, Gerret, Cities, O'Grady, Railroads, Nixon, Insurance, M. D. Mr. Dean, of this district, who voted for Mulby in caucus, is given minor places on three very unimportant committees, Public Institutions, Federal Relations and Engraved Bills. Mr. Goodell, a new member, who "voted right" in the speakership caucus, farce very much better, having been assigned to the important committees on Insurance, and Electricity, Gas and

Water Supply. Mr. Kronrich, of Sullivan, will look after legislation affecting the Public Health, Excise and the Soldiers' Home.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

THE STATE LEGISLATURE.

Bills Introduced in the Senate—A Lexow Resolution tabled.

ALBANY, Jan. 10.—In Senate, to-day, the following bills were introduced: To extend the boundaries of Peaks-kill; to change the name of the First Presbyterian Church of Lloyd to the First Presbyterian Church of Highland, Ulster county; providing that poll and ballot clerks hereafter appointed shall serve at all elections until the expiration of their terms; Providing for closing the front doors of saloons, Sundays, but permitting them to open the side doors.

A resolution by Mr. Lexow, asking that the powers of the Senate committee which has been investigating the Police Department of New York, be extended to the other department, was tabled.

LOCAL BILLS IN THE ASSEMBLY.

Newburgh's Charter Amendment Introduced—Fall Elections in That City, BY UNITED PRESS.

ALBANY, Jan. 10.—In the Assembly, bills were introduced exempting Sullivan, Ulster and several other counties from the provisions of the law relating to abandoned land; amending the charter of Newburgh; providing that Newburgh's city officers shall be elected on the first Monday in November.

NOMINATIONS CONFIRMED.

Three Nominations By Gov. Morton Promptly Confirmed By the Senate, BY UNITED PRESS.

ALBANY, N. Y. Jan. 10.—The Senate, to-day, confirmed the following nominations: Dr. Shady, of New York, and Francis M. Mann, of Troy, to be managers of the Hudson River Hospital, at Poughkeepsie; Alfred Spring to be Supreme Court Judge in the eighth judicial district in place of Judge Haizht.

PLUNGED INTO THE STREET.

An Engine and Car on the Brooklyn Elevated Jump a Switch—Engineer and Fireman Seriously Hurt, BY UNITED PRESS.

BROOKLYN, Jan. 10.—An engine and one car on the Kings county elevated road jumped a switch in East New York, this morning, and fell to the street. The engineer and fireman were seriously injured, the latter probably fatally. Luckily the car was empty at the time of the accident or there would have been probably a terrible loss of life.

OFF FOR WARMER CLIMES.

The Cruiser New York Leaves the Navy Yard for Southern Waters, BY UNITED PRESS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—The cruiser New York left the navy yard, to-day, for Hampton Roads. Admiral Meade, who is in command of the North Atlantic squadron, said the squadron would rendezvous at Hampton Roads and then proceed to the West Indies.

HEAVY SNOW STORMS IN EUROPE

Eight Lives Lost in Italy—Railroad Trains Snowed Up in Austria, BY UNITED PRESS.

ROME, Jan. 10.—A terrific snow storm swept over the town of Calenzia, yesterday, demolishing a number of houses and killing eight persons.

VIENNA, Jan. 10.—Heavy snow storms are prevailing throughout Austria. Trains are snowed up, and in some cases passengers have suffered greatly from cold and hunger.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS IN CANADA

TORONTO, Jan. 10.—Earthquake shocks occurred at Pembroke, last night.

RAVAGES OF THE GRIP.

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	High	Low	Close
Sugar	90 1/2	89 1/2	90 1/2
Gold	154 1/2	154 1/2	154 1/2
U. S. 4's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
U. S. 5's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
U. S. 6's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
U. S. 7's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
U. S. 8's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
U. S. 9's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
U. S. 10's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
U. S. 11's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
U. S. 12's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
U. S. 13's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
U. S. 14's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
U. S. 15's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
U. S. 16's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
U. S. 17's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
U. S. 18's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
U. S. 19's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
U. S. 20's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
U. S. 21's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
U. S. 22's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
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U. S. 25's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
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U. S. 27's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
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U. S. 48's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
U. S. 49's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
U. S. 50's	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2



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DAILY ARGUS.

OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

OPEN EVENINGS.

THE BUSINESS OFFICE OF THE "ARGUS" IS OPEN EVENINGS FROM SEVEN UNTIL EIGHT O'CLOCK.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY UNITED PRESS.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Snow or rain; warmer; easterly winds.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Newburgh, today:
7 a. m., 23°; 12 m., 30°; 3 p. m., 32°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

Jan. 14-15—F. H. Good's Banquet, and Edouard's at City Hall.
Jan. 17—Ball at D. D. W. S. of V. Drum Corps, at Assembly house.
Jan. 17—Columbia Club's ball.
Jan. 22—Dance at State Armory.
Jan. 19—Reception and dance, at McQuaid Engine House.
Feb. 20—Ball of Middletown Lodge, I. O. O. F.
Feb. 21—Twenty-second annual ball of McQuaid Engine Co., at Casino.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—Don't be a ready-made man. See adv. of Mr. Geo. E. Crawford Furniture Co.
—Ladies' skating shoe 32 at Chas. D. Hartford.
—Periodical notices will be accepted by Bull & Youngblood.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Norwich is discussing the starting of a night school.
—A trolley road around Lake Hopatcong, N. J., is projected for use in the summer season.
—Grip is becoming quite prevalent in this city. Physicians say, however, that few cases are serious.
—A piano factory is soon to be started, in Newburgh, that will give employment to fifty hands.
—Newburgh's Board of Trade has undertaken to help reorganize the Wright engine works.
—A Newburgh concern paid off a note for \$69,000 at one of the banks of that city, yesterday.
—Newburgh horsemen are arranging for a trot between gentlemen's road horses, on the ice at Orange Lake.
—The New York Condensed Milk Company, last week, had fifty-three men and thirty teams harvesting ice for its Oxford plant.
—The State Board of Claims, yesterday, awarded S. S. Holbert, of Chester, \$60 for tuberculous cattle condemned by a State inspector.
—Newburgh's hose and steam companies have petitioned the Common Council to build a tower in which to dry hose.
—C. E. Talmadge has secured the agency for this locality for the Mineralized Rubber Company, of New York, one of the oldest rubber firms in the metropolis.
—At a meeting of the Middletown Club, last night, a committee was appointed to arrange for a reception at the club rooms, at a date in the near future.
—The Weather Bureau has made an awful mess of its predictions for the past few days, having predicted fair weather all through the recent spell of snow, rain and fog.
—Jockey James Murphy, formerly of this city, is meeting with continued success at the Washington races. He rode two winners and one second, yesterday.
—Jesse, the three-year-old son of George C. Acker, of Newburgh, has just recovered from the effects of poisoning by eating canned tomatoes. For a time the child's life was in danger.
—Work at the mines of the Lehigh Zinc and Iron Company, near Franklin, N. J., has been suspended until there shall be a better demand for its product.
—Poughkeepsie's aldermen have ordered that street railroad tracks shall not be salted. In Newburgh, the Register complains, that the aldermen have given the streets over to the electric railway, which uses salt on anything else it wants to.
—Kingston capitalists have subscribed \$50,000 of the \$75,000 necessary to bring to that city a concern for the manufacture of electrical appliances. Of the subscriptions \$30,000 were made by two men.
—Instead of issuing trip passes to the wives and families of its employees the Central Hudson has arranged to sell them tickets at the nominal rate of a quarter of a cent a mile.
—Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company, of Binghamton, Thursday night, elected Frank Stewart, President, and O. S. Bullis, foreman. After the election a supper was served in the company's banquet room, at which most of the city officials were present.
—Suckers in great numbers are being hooked through the ice on the East Branch of the Delaware. The fish assemble in the eddies and are raked out with hooks made for the purpose. When properly cooked it is said they are not to be despised as food.
—A Norwich hotel keeper was called on early Tuesday morning to release a colored man from an ash barrel in the rear of the hotel, into which he had jumped while fleeing from an officer and from whom he could not extricate himself. It was necessary to chop the barrel to pieces to get the fellow out.
—For dyspepsia try McMonagle & Rogers' Pepsin Essence.

PERSONAL.

—Mr. Philip G. Rosa of Albany, is in town, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. F. Rosa.

—Miss Hortense, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Brinkerhoff, is visiting relatives in Fort Jervis.

—The many friends in this city of Mrs. Charles Smith, of Orlinville, will regret to learn that she is very critically ill.

—District Deputy Grand Patriarch E. H. Townsend, of this city, went to Newburgh, last night, and installed the officers of Mount Olive Encampment, I. O. O. F.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Dennison, of Washingtonville, were entertained, last evening, at the residence of Alderman and Mrs. Zopher K. Greene.

—Friends of Mr. S. H. Bodine will be pleased to learn that he passed a fairly comfortable night and appears to have held his own during the past twenty-four hours.

—Conductor Dudley King, of the Erie's Mountain Express, has received a week's leave of absence and started, this morning, accompanied by his brother, Edward King, of Port Jervis, for Boston, where they will be the guests of their brother, Col. F. G. King, who is a member of Gov. Greenhalge's staff.

—Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Noble, today, issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Emma Corwin, to Mr. Clarence Irving Rose, of Newark, N. J., which will take place at their residence on West Hanford street at 1 p. m., on Thursday, January 24th.

HYMENEA.

Watts—Pinckney.

Mr. Geo. E. Watts and Miss Emma Pinckney, of this city, went to Stevensville, Sullivan county, yesterday, and at 2 p. m. were united in marriage by Rev. Mr. Davidson. The only witnesses were the wife and daughter of the officiating clergyman.

Mr. and Mrs. Watts returned to this city, last evening, and took up their residence in one of the flats in the Watts building on North street, which was already furnished for occupancy.

The groom is a well known business man, being proprietor of the hardware store and tin shop, No. 168 North street.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Pinckney, of Bushville, Sullivan county. She has resided in this city for the past year, and is held in high esteem by those who have made her acquaintance.

The Argus extends its congratulations and best wishes.

SCRANTON GLASS CO. IN TROUBLE.

Its New York Office Attached—Judgment for Large Amounts Entered.

Deputy Sheriff McGinnis, yesterday, took charge of the New York office at No. 61 Murray street of the Scranton Glass Company, manufacturer of fruit jars, bottles and drugists' wares, at Scranton, Pa., on an attachment for \$1,162 in favor of Wing & Evans. A dispatch to Bradstreet's says that judgment notes for \$40,000 have been entered against the company. The business was started in 1882 and incorporated in 1887 with a capital stock of \$100,000, which was afterward increased to \$150,000. The company has a large plant at Scranton valued at over \$125,000, and there is a bonded debt of \$75,000. The assets have heretofore been inventoried at \$350,000.

JOINED THE EARLY CLOSERS.

Clothiers and Tailors and Their Clerks to Have a Chance to Get Acquainted With Their Families.

The clothing and merchant tailoring men go into the general early closing movement, all having agreed to close their places of business at 6 o'clock every evening, except Mondays and Saturdays and on the night of, and on the night following the O. and W. pay day. The stores will close for the first, next Tuesday night, Jan. 15th, and last until March, 15th.

Real Estate sales.

Real estate agent H. W. Corey has sold a building lot on "Richmond Hill," Stratton & Corey's subdivision to Mr. Geo. Swayze of this city. Mr. Chas. H. Brink and Mr. Frank Crane have also each secured lots through the same agency.

The Midway Park Bowling Record Broken.

The Midway Park bowling alley record was broken by Dr. F. C. Royce, last evening, his score being 213. The previous record was 210, made by Clarence Shafer, also a member of the 21th.

Lost a Thumb.

Alfred Allie, an employee of the straw hat works, had one of his thumbs cut off, yesterday, a buzz saw at the works.

In Olden Times.

People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects and were satisfied with transient action; but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently cure habitual constipation, well-informed people will not buy other laxatives, which act for a time, but finally injure the system.

BUSINESS OF THE NEXT COURT.

The calendar of the January Circuit of the Supreme Court—Cases of Local and General Interest.

The January circuit of the Supreme Court, which is usually held at Goshen, will be held at Newburgh, commencing Monday next, the Goshen Court House not being in condition for occupancy by reason of the recent fire. There are eighty cases on the calendar.

There is not the usual number of cases against railroad companies. There are seven suits against the Erie or its receivers, the plaintiffs being as follows:

Edward D. Hicks, James O. Reppert, Dennis Driscoll, Susan Wilcox, Lewis Wilcox, Joseph Rose and John Kehler.

The New York and New England is defendant in two cases, the plaintiffs being William Donahue, Jr., by guardian, and Cecelia Beebe.

Other railroad cases are: Sarah C. G. Veans, admx., vs. Lehigh and Hudson; Henry C. Burkert, admr., vs. Ontario and Western; George H. Swartwout vs. P. J. M. and N. Y. R.; Andrew Flannery vs. Walkkill Valley; Jesse Lilley vs. D. and H. Canal Co.; Johanna Cavanaugh vs. the Albany Railroad Co.

Slander and libel suits make up a goodly portion of the calendar. They are: Joseph Quigley vs. Charles C. Luckey; W. B. Weston vs. the Newburgh Register (two cases); William H. Kelley vs. the Newburgh Register (two cases).

Other cases of local and general interest are: E. N. Tucker vs. Imperial Council, O. U. F.; Lucy E. Calkins vs. Dr. M. C. Connor; W. S. Rose vs. W. P. Uptegrove; Emma Relyea vs. George Relyea; Lawrence Haly vs. Albert Hulseclander; Elizabeth Clark and another vs. Jesse Durland; Martha L. Oromwell vs. Geo. T. Wisner and another; Travelers' Insurance Co. vs. Peter M. Arthur; Orange County Trust Co. vs. Wm. G. Stanton and another; Herman Finkhaber and others vs. Hoyt & Galloway; Abram B. Bogart and another vs. Walter Radford; Frances E. Manning vs. Annie E. Sarvis and another; Abner Mills vs. E. Katie Reed and others; Henry C. Pelton vs. the Board of Education, village of Warwick; Wesley B. Mills vs. Daniel E. O'Neill; Wm. Barnes vs. Elizabeth Sutherland; Alonzo D. Smith vs. Jane S. Smith; Lewis VanDuzer vs. John M. Quackenbush; John M. Knapp and another vs. Chas. Kohi; C. R. VanDuzer vs. John M. Quackenbush; DeWitt Schoonmaker, admr. vs. Matilda Schoonmaker (two cases); Theo. M. Vail and another as admrs. vs. W. W. Pelton, admr.; Matilda Schoonmaker vs. John B. Schoonmaker; Anna Reall vs. City of Newburgh; John W. Lyon vs. Edward C. Bierne; Samuel McCoach Jr., vs. Alonzo H. Coleman.

THE WEEK OF PRAYER.

Daily Union Services at the First Congregational Church.

The union services at the First Congregational Church, this afternoon, are in charge of Rev. Dr. Darwood, of St. Paul's M. E. Church. The subject for prayer and discussion is "Foreign Missions." The topics for the remainder of the week are as follows:

Friday, Jan. 11, "Home Missions." Saturday, Jan. 12, "Families and schools." Sunday, Jan. 13, Sermons.

Phoenix Engine Co.'s Masquerade.

Phoenix Engine Co., No. 4, will give a grand masquerade ball at the Assembly Rooms, Thursday evening, Jan. 29th. The committee of arrangements is: A. B. Carpenter, G. B. Lee, F. W. Cordier, H. L. Brien, W. Maier.

NEW HAMPTON.

Filled Their Ice Houses—Week of Prayer Services—Deferred—School Reopened—Lecture.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.
—W. U. Strong and J. E. Borland were the first farmers in this vicinity to finish filling their ice houses.

—J. A. Mills is renovating the rooms over his store.

—Owing to the unfavorable weather of Monday and Tuesday it was thought advisable to defer to a future date the week of prayer services at the Denton Presbyterian Church.

—Our village school opened, Monday; although the children had enjoyed the holidays they were pleased to resume their school duties.

—Rev. F. J. Stanley delivered a lecture on Japan, its people and their customs, Friday evening, at the Denton Presbyterian Church, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society.

Universalist Service.

Rev. M. Crosley, of Brooklyn, preaches, this evening, in Nearing Hall, and has chosen for his subject "The Garden of Eden and the fall of man."

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INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

Savings Bank Dividend—Sale of a Farm—Knocked Senseless by a Billiard Ball—The Foresters' Ball—At the Kellows' Sale.

From Our Regular Correspondent

—The Goshen Savings Bank has declared a semi-annual dividend at the rate of four per cent per annum, on all sums less than \$1,000 and three per cent, on sums over that amount.

—Jesse A. Holbert has sold his fine farm, near Six and a Half Station, to George Makuen, of Drowned Lands, for \$10,000. The farm is one of the most desirable in this section, the house being unusually fine and the buildings of the best.

—Two young men, while playing pool in a saloon in this village, quarreled and, in the row that followed, one of them named Hughes, lost all control of himself and threw a pool ball at his companion, James Sweeney, of Durlandville. The ball struck Sweeney squarely in the forehead, knocking him senseless. Efforts to revive him were of no avail and he was taken home in an unconscious condition. He regained consciousness later in the evening.

—The first annual ball of Goshen Court, A. O. F., last night, was a big success, both socially and financially. A large number was present from the surrounding towns and all present seemed to enjoy themselves heartily. Berz's orchestra furnished excellent music.

—It is reported that two of our prominent young men will soon open a grocery store in this village.

—W. Robbins purchased the bay filly Alcyone, by Alcantara, out of Clayline, 1892, for \$175, at the Kellogg sale in New York, yesterday. Alcantara, the sire, was sold, yesterday, for \$10,000, to J. S. Clark, of New Brunswick. S. Wilkins, of Chester, purchased Lady Blackmont, eleven years old, for \$150.

IN ANCIENT GOSHEN.

Meeting of the Ladies' Whist Club—Personal Mention—The Snow Going—DeLarte Exercises Superfluous.

From a Special Correspondent

—The Ladies' Whist Club met, last Saturday, at the residence of Miss Sayer. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Neafie, at 2:30 p. m., on Saturday of this week.

—Miss Maud Wright, of this village, has been spending the holidays with friends in New York.

—The January thaw has very nearly destroyed the fine sleighing and skating.

—There is a pleasure in being warmly housed on a cold, stormy evening that is somewhat akin to lying in bed and watching some one else dress, than which there are few small pleasures more delightful. Speaking of dressing, the modern fashion may, after a time, do away with the necessity of other athletic exercise for numbers of the gentler sex than the fastening of their gowns. It is said in praise of some of the DeLarte exercises that they bring every muscle of the body into action at one and the same time, but this is really nothing extraordinary, now-a-days, for the woman who attempts to hook a dress waist that laps an inch or so over the shoulder and under the arm, not only uses every muscle she possesses, but wishes that some one would kindly discover a few new ones. How enviously she thinks sometimes of the "India rubber" woman, she once saw in a circus, who, after placing a piece of meat on a fork fastened to her heel, with careless grace, brought her foot over her shoulder and removed the delicate morsel with her pearly teeth. The woman who can eat her dinner in that way is just the one to wear a fashionable gown, and yet she is the one whose taste in dress is, generally speaking, simple and unostentatious. There is but one gleam of hope for the ordinarily constructed female and that is, that soon the sleeves will be made a

tride larger, so that she can crawl in through one of them, after first carefully fastening her waist. In the meantime, she must sigh for raiment like that worn by good, old Grimes, which, the song says, was "all buttoned down before."

G. E.

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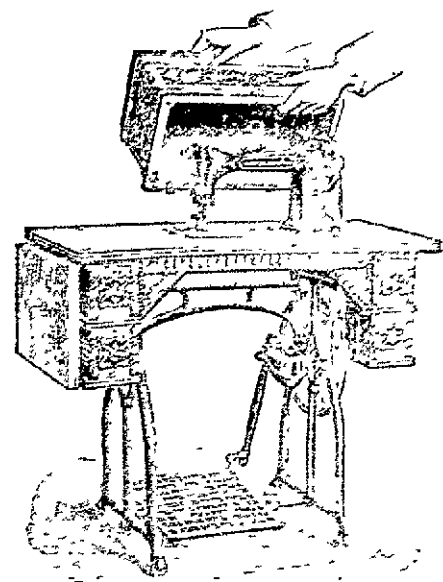
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